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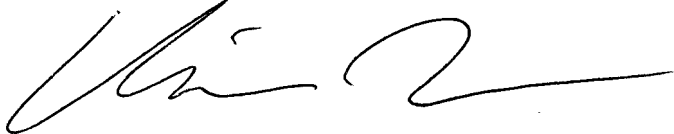
August 4, 2021

Re: Advisory Opinion Request

To Whom It May Concern:

I was appointed Chief at Cullen Fire Department after the sudden death of the previous chief, Thomas Arnold on July 25, 2021. We are a paid volunteer department with approximately 25-30 men and women on our roster. There are 5 officer positions under me, including the Assistant Chief position, which is now vacant after my appointment to Chief. I am requesting an Advisory Opinion from the Ethics Board regarding the potential promotion of my brother to the Assistant Chief position. He is a Captain on the department and has a tenure of greater than 5 years. His potential assignment would *certainly fall into a natural promotional advancement. The Assistant Chief position has been offered to another Captain but was respectfully declined due to family obligations.* My question is this: would the advancement of my brother be ethical and proper and without a sense of nepotism? Would I be required to offer the Assistant Chief position to the other officers before my brother assumed the position? Any guidance on this matter would be sincerely appreciated.

Respectfully,

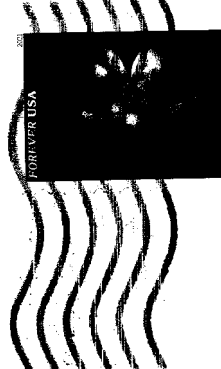


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